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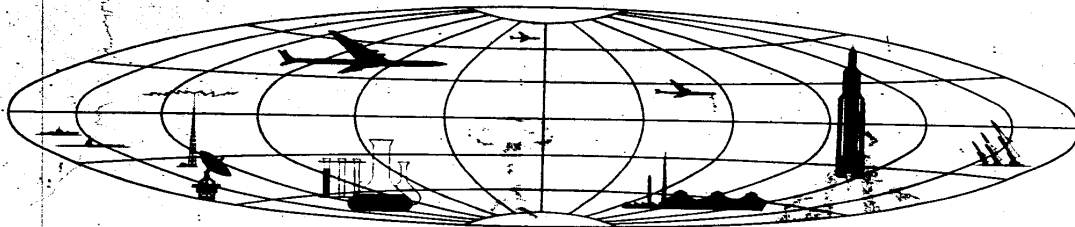
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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS SOUTH
AND
KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS AND DEPOT
(54-51N 023-56E)
KAUNAS, KALININGRADSKAYA OBLAST, USSR
BALTIC MD

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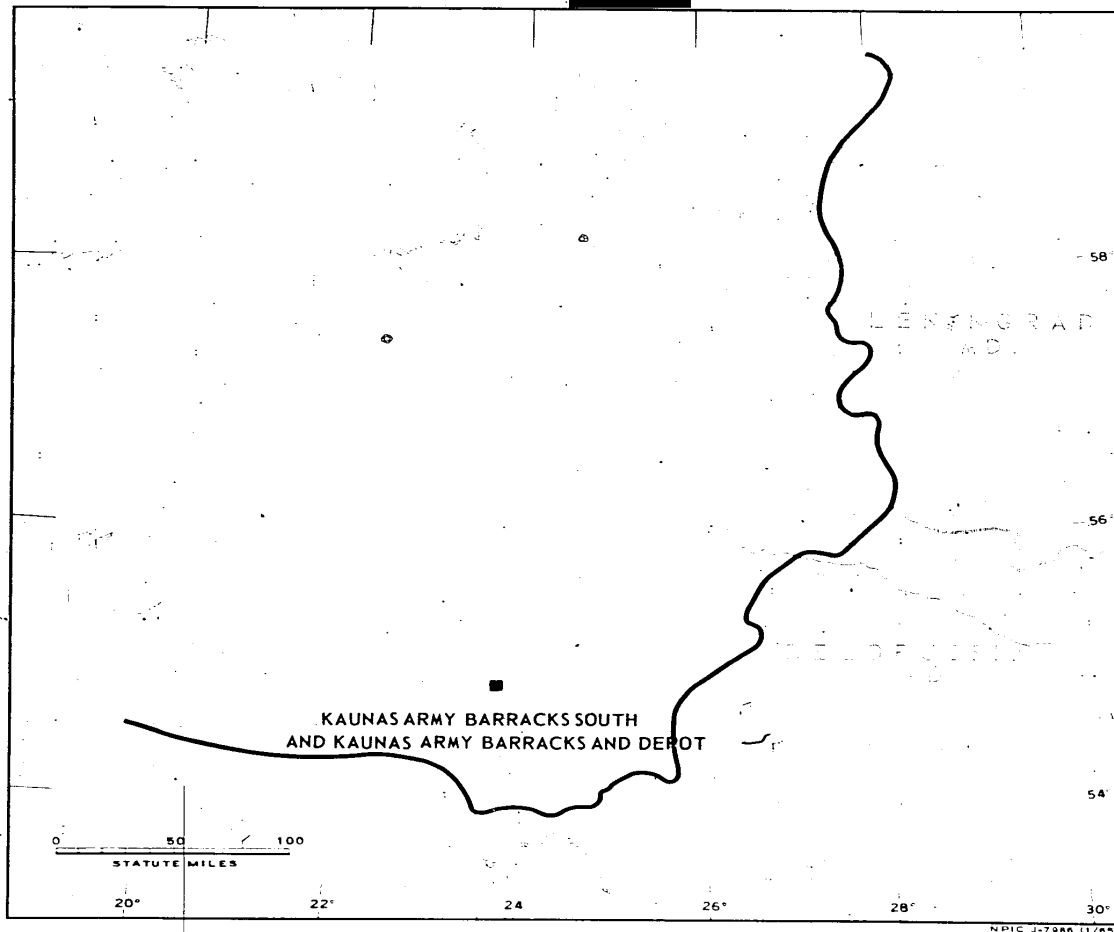


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS SOUTH AND KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS AND DEPOT.

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FIGURE 2. KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS SOUTH AND KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS AND DEPOT, USSR

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SUMMARY

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Kaunas Army Barracks South (BE No [REDACTED] and Kaunas Army Barracks and Depot (BE No [REDACTED] are located 4 kilometers (km) south of the center of Kaunas and are connected by road with Kaunas Army Barracks Southeast and Kaunas Army Barracks Nemunas River (Figure 1).

These installations (Figures 2 and 3) cover 142 acres and contain 10 administration buildings, 41 barracks, 43 storage buildings, 4 vehicle storage/maintenance buildings, and 2 storage buildings in a reported POL storage area.

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administration buildings were removed; 1 barracks was extended, 5 barracks were removed, and 3 new barracks were added; 1 storage building was extended, 7 new storage buildings were constructed, and 10 storage buildings were removed; 2 vehicle storage/maintenance buildings were added, 1 was moved to another location, and 1 was removed.

The reported POL storage area does not appear to contain the 6 POL tanks visible on TALENT photography of [REDACTED]. However, this is probably due to the smaller scale of KEYHOLE photography.

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

A single-track spur from the main rail line passes between these 2 installations, and a short rail spur enters the storage area.

Road Service

Two primary roads pass through these installations. One road then crosses the Nemunas River and enters Kaunas Army Barracks Southeast.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 3 multistory administration buildings, 10 multistory barracks, 3 barracks, 4 storage buildings, 1 multistory storage building, and 3 vehicle maintenance/storage buildings, 145 by 55 feet, [REDACTED], and 125 by 35 feet (new since [REDACTED]).

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Three of the barracks buildings and 1 vehicle maintenance/storage building are new since [REDACTED]. Two barracks and 3 storage buildings present in [REDACTED] have been removed.

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Area E contains 19 storage buildings, 2 vehicle maintenance and storage buildings (each 110 by 30 feet), 2 U-shaped multistory barracks, and 1 administration building. Two of the storage buildings are new. Three storage buildings have been removed since [REDACTED].

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POL Storage Area

Area G contains 2 storage buildings. Six POL tanks were present in [REDACTED] however, no POL tanks are discernible on current photography.

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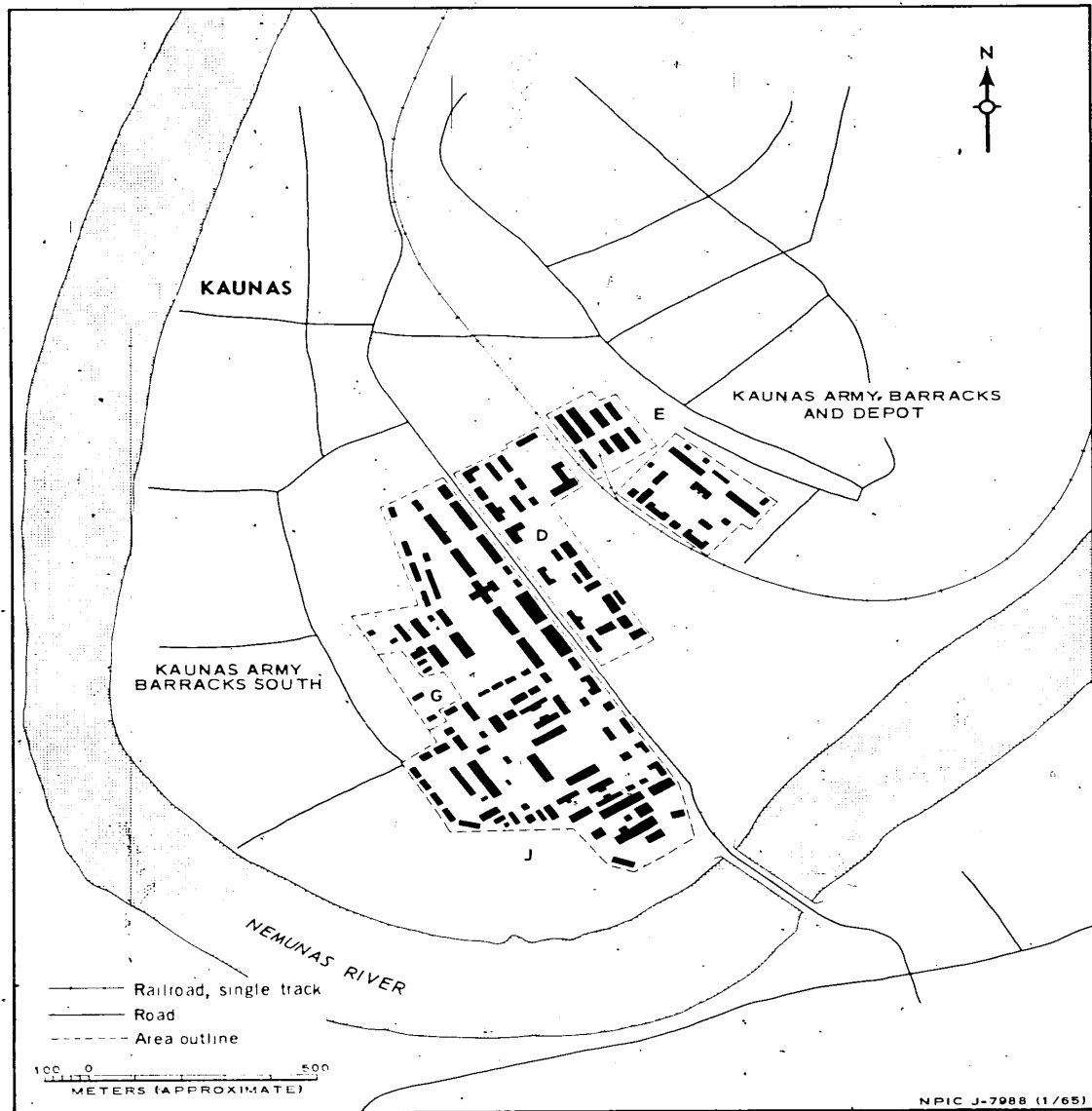


FIGURE 3. KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS SOUTH AND KAUNAS ARMY BARRACKS AND DEPOT. Sketch compiled from Mission [REDACTED]

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Table 1. Vehicle Maintenance and Storage Buildings

No of Buildings	Dimensions (ft)	No of Buildings	Dimensions (ft)
2	330 x 55	1	100 x 55
1	265 x 80	3	100 x 45
1	210 x 80	2	90 x 55
1	185 x 45	1	90 x 50
1	180 x 45	1	90 x 30
1	170 x 35	1*	90 x 25
1	165 x 55	1	85 x 45
2	155 x 55	1	80 x 60
1	155 x 40	1	80 x 55
1	145 x 60	1	80 x 50
1	140 x 40	1*	80 x 35
1	130 x 35	1	70 x 65
1	130 x 20	2	65 x 45
1	120 x 60	1	65 x 35
1	120 x 35	4**	60 x 30
3	110 x 55		
1	110 x 35		

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Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J now contains 4 multistory administration buildings, 2 administration buildings, 22 multistory barracks, 4 barracks, 19 storage buildings, and 44 vehicle maintenance and storage buildings. Dimensions of the vehicle maintenance and storage buildings are given in Table 1.

This area has been changed significantly since [REDACTED] 5 storage buildings and 2 vehicle maintenance and storage buildings have been constructed; 1 barracks and 1 storage building have been extended; 2 administration buildings, 3 barracks, and 4 storage buildings have been removed; and 1 of the vehicle maintenance and storage buildings has been moved.

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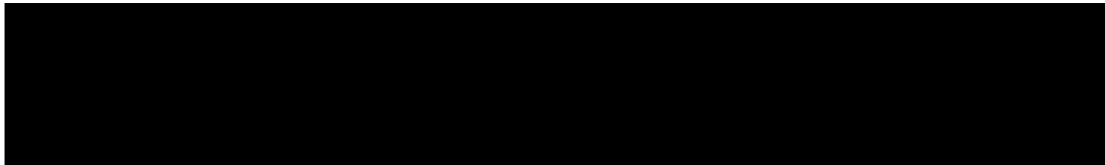
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